

SENATE BILL 1679

By Gardenhire

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5;  
Title 6; Title 7 and Title 49, relative to  
compensation of school board members.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-202(d), is amended by deleting the subsection and substituting instead:

(d)

(1) The county legislative body shall fix the compensation of members of the county board of education for their services when attending regular and special meetings and discharging the duties imposed by this title, which must be no less than the compensation fixed for members of the county legislative body pursuant to § 5-5-107(a).

(2) The municipal legislative body shall fix the compensation of members of the municipal board of education, which must be no less than the compensation fixed for members of the municipal legislative body.

(3) Notwithstanding any private act to the contrary, the compensation of members of the board of education of a special school district must be no less than the compensation fixed for members of the county legislative body in the county in which the special school district lies.

(4) The county trustee shall not pay a voucher issued to members unless the voucher has been approved by the county mayor.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.